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In the Application of:)
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Serial No. 10/621,549)) Art Unit 372 ⁷
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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION DATED SEPTEMBER 30, 2005

Sir:

This is in response to the Official Action of September 30, 2005 Applicant submits herewith a Terminal Disclaimer with respect to pending application Serial No. 10/722,169 which I believe obviates the objections to the double patenting rejection.

Amendments to the claims are set forth beginning at page 2. These amendments are responsive to the rejections pursuant to 35 USC Section 112 and a correction to the status of claim 2 as withdrawn. It is properly indicated as being cancelled.

The Remarks are set forth beginning at page 7.

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